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DEFENSE ENDS ITS ARGUMENT

Famous Northern Securities Case Will Go to Court for Decision To-Day.

(By Associated Press.) ET. LOUIS, MO., March 20.—Arguments in defense of the Northern Securities mpany, on trial here before the United States Circuit Court for the District of Minnesota, closed to-day, and the case will be placed finally in the hands of the four judges to-morrow. During the three of argument the attorneys for the defendant have occupied nine hours, and up to adjournment to-night the government has taken five hours for presenta-

ment has taken five hours for presentation of arguments.

C. W. Bunn, of St. Paul, counsel for the Northern Pacific Rallway Company, opened to-day's session, and former Attorney-General Griggs closed the case for the Northern Securities Company. The last hour of the session was occupied by Special Counsel T. D. Watson, of Pittsburg, who closed the case for the government. He was talking when court adjourned for the day, and he expects to conclude by noon to-morrow.

The famous merger case will then be in the hands of the court for decision.

Attorney C. W. Bunn endeavored to show that prior to this case there had never been a suggestion that a consolidation of rallway interests was a violation of the anti-trust act of July 2, 1890. In concluding for the defendant, Attorney-General Griggs asserted that the purpose of the anti-trust act was to control the operation of individuals engaged in commerce, and not to control the operation so engaged. eaged in commerce, and not to control wnership of corporations so engaged

A NEW INSTITUTE

Mr. Wiley Goes to Establish Such a Place in Jacksonville.

George H. Wiley, superintendent of the Methodist Institute, corner of Nineteenth and Main Streets, left last night

teenth and Main Streets, left list night via Seaboard Air Line to spend Sunday in Jacksonville, Fla., in the interests of city mission work.

Mr. Wiley will help to start a work similar to the one he is at the head of here. He will remain for several days and return to Richmond about the middle of next week. He goes on the invitation of the Methodist preachers and laymen of that city. This is the third or fourth place of the kind opened since the Richmond work began three years ago.

THE FLOYDS TO-NIGHT Slight of Hand and Mind-Reading at the

Y. M. C. A. To-Night.

The Floyds will entertain on the Mem bers' Course at the Young Men's Christian Association to-night at 8:30 o'clock. The programme will consist of wonderful feats of prestidigitation, marvelous tricks in legerdemain, and new experiments in icats of prestinguation, marvelous triess in legerdemain, and new experiments in modern magic. Mrs. Floyd will mystify the audience with mental telepathy and transmission of thought. Every senior member is entitled to a reserved seat on presentation of his ticket, while he can bring his friends at half the usual price. Non-members may secure tickets including reserved seats at fifty cents. Each entertainment closes with one of the professor's original illusions, "The Mystery of Morro Custle," "The Mornon's Dream," "The Escape of Marqueso," or "Latest Illusion."

CONCERNING FIDUCIARIES

* Mr. Anderson Offers an Amendment to His Bill on the Subject.

Colonel George Wayne Anderson, of Richmond, yesterday in the State Senate presented an amendment to the bill ate presented an amendment to the bill which he offered a few days ago regarding the settlement of accounts by iduciaries. The act requires the clerks of court to file lists of all iduciaries on the first day of January and June terms, giving date of appointments, returns and settlements. The penalty is a fine of from \$50 to \$500 and loss of office.

Dr. Witherspoon To-Morrow.

Dr. Witherspoon, pastor of Grace-Street Presbyterian Church, will preach both to-morrow morning and at night. The Doctor will take for his subject for his morning discourse—"Covetousness versus Contentment," and at night his subject will be: "Christ and an Imperfect Faith."

Improving Rapidly.

Miss Augusta M. Davis, of East Richmond, who has been at the Retreat for more than two weeks, is improving after much suffering. She has removed to No, 1107 North Twenty-ninth Street.

Is Critically III.

Mr. Thomas Duke, Jr., a well known i veterinary surgeon, of this city, is criti-scally ill at his residence, No. 2001 Venable

THE COUNTY SURPRISED

What it Thinks of Fire Department's Action.

GET READY TO FIGHT FIRE

And Will Then Fight Annexation as Warmly as Ever-Mr. Pollard's Opinion-Mr. Lecky's Resolution

certain of the prominent residents of Henrico county to look upon the pro-

lienrico county to look upon the proposed action of the Board of Fire Commissioners of Richmond as a retaliatory measure, suggested in view of the opposition presented by the county to the extension of the city limits.

The greatest surprise was manifested on all sides when it became generally known that the commissioners were entertaining a proposition to withdraw fire protection from those thickly settled sections of the county making up the suburbs of the city. Various opinions were expressed, and one of them was that above indicated. There was a feeling that the city was now expressing its displeasure at the position taken by the county whenever a measure for extension is suggested.

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WHAT ONE OF THEM SAYS.

A well-known official and property owner of Henrico was questioned yosterday about the matter. He sald, in effect:

"The county, so far as I know, has never asked the city for fire protection. The assistance they have given us has been voluntary. Whenever there was a fire in a nearby section in the county the city sent its engines and gave us the use of their department. Regularly the Board of Supervisors would get bills for damages to hose, etc., while the apparatus was at work in the country, and they were always paid promptly. There was never any question raised. The Richmond department was very kind to us, and we recognized and apreciated the kindness.

"Now we hear that the Fire Commis-

us, and we recognized and apreciated the kindness.

"Now we hear that the Fire Commissioners are considering the proposition of withdrawing from us this protection. They undoubtedly have the right to do so if they care to. I don't know whether the county will make any movement to protest it. The proposition seems to me to be despited by pique. We have opposed 'annexation, which the city so ardently desires, and we are now being paid back for doing it. Perhaps the city hopes in this way to whip us into line. We didn't hear anything of this new move until the annexation matter was up in the Legislature.

"If the Board concurs in this resolution we shall in all probability proceed to establish chemical stations in the thickly settled parts of the county, and be prepared to fight annexation as vigorously as ever. If we were included in the city we couldn't get thorough fire service for many years to come. There are no water mains. There are not enough of them in Richmond itself yet."

SUPERVISOR TALKS.

Mr. J. E. Rose, a well known member of the Board of Supervisors, was also seen about the matter. He expressed great surprise at the proposition before the commissioners, but declared that he had not given the matter much thought. He, too, expressed the belief that in the event that the clty withdraws fire protection from the county the latter will establish a chemical system in some of the thickly settled portions of Henrico.

Mr. Robert Lecky, Jr., member of the Board of Fire Commissioners, who offered the resolutions putting into effect the opinion of the City Attorney in relation to the city sending its fire apparatus to the county, feels that the public does not understand the purport of the opinion and his resolution, as therefore gives both the opinion and his resolution.

Mr. Pollard City Attorney, says:

Richmond, March 14, 1003.

Board of Fire Commissioners, city:

MR. POILARD'S OPINION.
Mr. Pollard, City Attorney, says;
Richmond, March 14, 1903.
Board of Fire Commissioners, city:
Gentlemen,—I am it receipt of a communication from your cierk, duted the 14th instant, in which you ask my opinion as to whether your board "have the right to send the city's fire apparatus out of the city in response to requests for assistance." In response to this request, I have to say that it is provided by subsection 5 of section LXLIII of the city charter that "the Board of Fire Commissioners shall have and exercise fully and exclusively all powers necessary for charter that "the Board of Fire Commissioners shall have and exercise fully and exclusively all powers necessary for the govenment, maintainance and decition of the fite department of the city and the premises and property thereof," and by the same sub-section it is further provided that your board shall "take any all such action in the premises (i. e., to accomplish the purpose of which the department was organized) as it may deem to be reasonable, necessary and proper." In view of these very comprehensive powers conferred on your board, I am of opinion that wherever a five occurs outside of the city limits, which would render it reasonably probable that the fire would be communicated, or might be communicated to buildings or structures within the city limits, that in such cases you would be authorized to respond to calls to aid in the extinguishment of the fire beyond the city limits, but where such conditions do not exist you are not authorized, nor should you, respond to calls beyond the limits of the city, and in order that there may be no misunderstanding or confusion I suggest that the board after inspection or

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FOAN and find out what a really comfortable

shave is. Collapsible Tubes 25 cents at

Barbers and Druggists A. H. Bremer Co., Chicago.

Sloss Iron and Steel Company

Notice of Stockholders' Meeting of Sloss Iron and Steel Company.

In accordance with the By-Laws notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the Stockholders of the SLOSS IRON & STEEL COMPANY will be held at the offices of the Company in Birmingham, Ala., on WeddnetsDAY, April 1, 1903, at 12 o'clock noon, to elect Directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

Books for the transfer of stock will be closed from March 21st, 1903, at 12 o'clock noon, to April 4th, 1903, at 16 o'clock A. (Signed)

J. W. M'QUEIEN, Secretary.

Atlantic Coast Line Company,
Office of the Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A
general or special meeting of the Stockholders of the ATLANTIC COAST LINE
RAILICUAD COMPANY has been called
by the Board of Directors to be held at
the office of the Company in the City of
Richmond, Virginia, at 11 o'clock A. M.
on TUESDAY, THE 21ST DAY OF
APRIL, A. D.. 1903, for the purpose of
considering and acting upon the purchase of the railroads and other property, rights, privileges and franchises of
the Folorida Southern Railroad Company,
and also for the purpose of considering
and acting upon the purchase of the
railroads and other property, rights, privleges and franchises of the Sanford and
St. Petersburg Railroad Company, both
corporations created and existing under
the laws of the State of Fiorida, which
will be submitted for their approval.

H. L. HORDEN,
Secretary.

DIVIDENDS.

Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron Co Sioss-Sheffield Sidel and Iron Co
THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS HAVE
this day declared a DIVIDEND of ONE
and THREE-QUARTERS (1%) PER
GENT. upon the Preferred Stock of the
Company out of the carnings for the
quarter ending February 28th, 1803, payable APRIL 1st, 1903, at the office of the
Guaranty Trust Company of New York.
Transfer books will be closed at 12 o'clock
noon on March 21st, and reopened on the
morning of April 2d, 1903.

Secretary and Treasurer.
New York, March 10, 1903.

FOR RENT.

SPECIAL RENT BARGAIN IN AN UNEXPIRED LEASE FOR 905 WEST GRACE STREET.
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Colo., Baca co., 100 a. hand.
Conn., Fairfield co., 55 a. & impts.,
Ga., Thomasville, 10 a.; fine res. site.
Office bidg. and 3 lots.
Ill., Edwardsville, res., 2 tenement houses,
office bidg. and 3 lots.
Ill., Pulaski co., 21 a. & impts., fruit helt.
Chicago, Oak Park, bidg. lot. Bieseld Add.
Chicago, Morgan Park, 2 lots. Wash. His.
Chicago, Haryneswood, 7 a. & impts.
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ma location for summer home.
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Minn., Told co., 72 a., 55 a.
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W. M. OSTRANDER. North American Building, Philadelphia.

other investigation, from time to time, determine with what boundaries such con-ditions exist that would justify the board to respond to calls for aid beyond the

determine with what boundaries such conditions exist that would justify the board to respond to calls for aid beyond the city limits.

In response to your inquiry, specially relative to the Richmond Cedar Works and the Richmond Locamotive Works, and other places where the Council has expressly authorized the location of fire alarm box stations, beyond the city limits, I am of opinion that while the action of the Council in this matter cannot absolutely control you, your action under the charter of the city being extusive, yet such determination by the Council should be accepted by you as determining your duty in the premises, unless the action of the Council is in some particular case so unreasonable as to justify you to disregard their direction, a condition hardly conceivable.

Very respectfully,
(Signed)

H. R. POLLARD,

City Attorney.

THE RESOLUTION.

Mr. Lecky's paper follows:
Whereas, this Board of Fire Commissioners have requested of the City Attorney the right to send the city's fire apparatus out of the city in response to requests for assistance, to which request we now have his opinion; and whereas the opinion of the City Attorney slates that we are not authorized to respond to calls beyond the city limits, unless it is reasonably probable that the fire would be communicated, or might be communicated to buildings or structures within the city limits; therefore,

Be it resolved, that the chief engineer of this department in view of that decision, cannot send assistance, except in such cases as will come within the opinion of the City Attorney.

Resolved, second, that the chief engineer of this department in view of that decision, cannot send assistance, except in such cases as will come within the opinion of the City Attorney.

Resolved, second, that the clity Attorney be requested to prepare sith a general law, and that such law be presented to our representatives to the Legislature, permitting discretion to be exercised by the various fire departments of the cities in Sending relief to any other ci

BANKRUPT NOTICES.

N THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE EAST-ERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA:

UNITIED STATES FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA!

In the Matter of MALIFER AREAMS,
Bankrupte
ORDER OF NOTICE FOR DISCHALIGIE.
On this 16th day of March, A. D. 1903, on reading the patition for discharge of the bad upon the same on the slat DAY OF MARCH, A. D. 1903, before said court, at Richmond, in said district, at 12 o'clock noon; and that notice thereof be published in The Times-Dispatch, a newspaper printed in said district, and that all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear at the said time and place, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered by the court, that the clerk shall send by mail to all known creditors copies of and petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered by the court, that the clerk shall send by mail to all known creditors copies of said petition and this order, addressed to them at their places of residence as stated.

Witness the Honorable iDDMUND WADDILL, Jr., Judge of the said court, and the soil thereof, at Richmond, in said discrist, on the 16th day of March, A. D. 1903.

Attest:

G. E. BOWDEN, Clerk.

By Joseph P. Brady, Deputy Clerk.

N THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE EAST ERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA: ERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA:
In the Matter of
CHAS. E. DRINARD,
Bankrupt.

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Bankrupt.

ORDER OF NOTICE FOR DISCHARGE.
On this 18th day of March. A. D. 1903. on reading the petition for discharge of the bankrupt, it is—
Ordered by the court, that a hearing be had upon the same on the 3lst DAY OF MARCH. A. D. 1903, hefore said court, at Richmond, in said district, at 12 o'clock noon; and that notice thereof be published in The Times-Dispatch, a newspaper printed in said district, and that all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear at the said time and place, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered by the court, that the clerk shall send by mall to all known creditors copies of said petition and this order, addressed the mat their places of residence as thated.

And it is further ordered by the court, that the clerk shall send by mall to all known creditors copies of said petition and this order, addressed the said court, and the sear thereof, at Richmond, in said district on the 18th day of March. A. D. 1903.

Attest:

G. E. BOWDEN, Clerk.

N THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE EAST-ERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA: IN THE DISTRICT COURT.

UNITED STATES FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA:

In the Matter of No. 357.

Bankrupt.

ORDER OF NOTICE FOR DISCHARGE.
On this 16th day of March. A. D. 1903.
Ordered by the court, that a hearing be had upon the same on the 31st DAY OF MARCH. A. D. 1903.

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The Times-Dispatch, a newspaper printed in said district, and that notice thereof be published in Sald district, and that notice thereof be published in said district, and that notice thereof be published in Sald district, and that all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear at the said time and place, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said dpeltioner should not have been creditors copies of said peltion and this order, addressed to them at their places of residence as stated.

Witness the Honorable EDMUND WAD-DILL. Jr., Judge of the said court, and the seal thereof, at Richmond, in said district, the 18th they of March, A. D. 1903.

Attest:

G. E. BOWDEN, Clerk.

G. E. BOWDEN. Clerk.

By Josoph P. Brady. Deputy Clerk.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE EAST-ERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA:

In the Matter of JAMES H: NOWLAN, Bankrupt.

ORDER OF NOTICE FOR DISCHARGE. On this 14th day of March. A. D. 1933, on reading the petition for discharge of the bankrupt, it is—Ordered by the court, that a hearing be had upon the same on the 31st DAY OF MARCH. A. D. 1935, before said court, at Richmond. In said district, at 12 o'clock noon; and that notice thereof be published in The Times-Dispatch, a newspaper printed in said district, and that all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear at the said time and place, and show cause. If any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered by the court, that the clerk shall send by mail to all known creditors copies of said petition and this order, addressed to them at their places of residence as stated. Witness the Honorable EDMUND WADDILL, Jr., Judge of the said court, and the said thereof, at Richmond, in said district, on the 14th day of March, A. D. 1993. Attest:

G. E. BOWDEN, Clerk.

By Joseph P. Brady, Deputy Clerk.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE EAST-ERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA: In the Matter of ER, In Involuntary Bankrupt. CHAS. THALHABIL. In momentary Bankrupt. Bankruptey.
ORDER OF NOTICE FOR DISCHARGE. On this lish day of March, A. D. 1993, on reading the petition for discharge of the bankrupt, It 15—
Ordered by the court, that a hearing be had upon the same on the 31st DAY Of MARCH. A. D. 1993, before said court, at Richmond, in said district, at Iz o'clock noon; and that notice thereof be published in The Times-Dispatch, a newspaper printed in said district, and that all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear at the said time and place, and

In said district, and that all stands treamy appear at the said time and place, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered by the court, that the Jerk shall send by mail to all known creditors copies of said petition and this order, addressed to them at their places of residence as stated.

Witness the Honorable EDMIND WADDILL, Jr., Judge of the said court, and the scal thereof, at Richmond, in said district, on the 16th day of March, A. D. 1963, Attest:

G. E. HOWDEN, Clerk.

Attest: G. E. BOWDEN, Clerk, By Joseph P. Brady, Deputy Clerk. IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE EAST ERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA:

UNITED STATES FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA:

In the Matter of No. 380.

ROBERT A. VADEN. Bankruptey.

ORDER OF NOTICE FOR DISCHARGE.
On this 14th day of March, A. D. 1903, on reading the petition for discharge of the bankrupt, it is—
Ordered by the court, that a hearing be had upon the same on the 31st DAY OF MARCH, A. D. 1903, before said court, at Richmond, in said district, at 12 o'clock noon; and that notice thereof be published in The Times-Dispatch, a newspaper printed in said district, and that all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear at the said time and place, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered by the court, that the clerk shall send hy mail to all known creditors copies of said petition and this order, addressed to them at their places of residence as stated. Witness the Honorable EDMUND WADDILL, Jr., Judge of the said court, and the seal thereof, at Richmond, in said, distrist, on the 14th day of March, A. D. 1963.

Attest: G. E. BOWDEN, Clerk.

By Joseph P. Brady, Deputy Clerk.

Attest:

G. E. BOWDEN, Clerk.

By Joseph P. Brady, Deputy Clerk.

City Auditor's Office,
Richmond, Va. March 19, 1803.
THE LICENSE TAXES OF 1903 HAVE,
been assessed and placed in this office for
the inspection of all concerned.
These assessments include all persons
liable to a class or special tax for 1903,
and will remain in this office until the
30th DAY OF MARCH, 1803.
The Committee on Finance will meet in
the office of the Commissioner of Revenus
on Monday and Tuesday, he for that sis
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SEALED PROPOSALS.

BBALED PROPOSALS WILL BE REceived at the office of Tressurer, Southern Branch National Solders' Home,
Bilzabeth City county, Va., until APRIL
2, 1803, and then opened, for furnishiss
and delivery of COAL, in accordance with
instructions and specifications, copies of
which, with blank proposals, and other
information, may be had upon application to the Treasurer.

FORT MONROE, VA., MARCH 20, 1903.—
Sealed Proposals, in triplicate, for furnishing a 12-feb gilled Located to the triplicate at 12-feb gilled Located to the triplicate and triplicate and the triplicate and the triplicate and the triplicate and triplicate an

City of Richmond, Virginia.

Office City Water Works.

City Itali.

March 18, 1903.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE REceived at this office until MONDAY.
April 6, 1903, at 5 P. M., for the construction of a Steel Water Tower and
Steel Substructure mear the New Reservoir. The substructure will be 120 feet
above the pedestals to base of tank.
The tank will be 30 feet in diameter
and 30 feet high, and will have a conical metal cover or hood. Included in
the bid will be a 16-inch Supply Pipe of
Cast-fron and an 3-inch Waste or Overflow Pipe. The substructure, tank, supply and waste pipes, all complete, including painting, must be included in
the proposal must be accompanied
with a certified check of \$500. The committee on water reserves the right to
reject any or all proposals.

CHARLES 19. BOLLING.
Superintendent.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

NOTICE TO CUN HAUTUNG.

Office of City Engineer,
Richmond Va., March 18, 1903.

SEALED PROPOSALS, March 18, 1903.

A CONCRETE WALL west aldo of sewer at Seventh and Hospital Streets, Shockoe Creek improvement.

Specifications and full information to bidders can be had upon application at this office.

A certified check for \$250 must accompany each bid.

The Committee on Streets and Shockoe Creek reserve the right to reject any and all bids offered.

W. E. CUTSHAW.

City Engineer.

City Engineer.

City Engineer.

Office City Water Works,
City Hall,
March 18, 1903.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE REceived at this office until MONDAY.
April 6, 1993, at 5 o'clock P. M., for the
following supplies and contract work
for the year ending December 31, 1903:
Thirty 6-inch Hub-End Gate Valves.
Twenty 8-inch Hub-End Gate Valves.
Eight 12-inch Hub-End Gate Valves.
— 16-inch Hub-End Gate Valves.
— 20-inch Hub-End Gate Valves.
— 16-inch Hub-End Gate Valves.

Twenty Double Nozzle Gate Fire
Hydrants—one nozzle 4 inch and one
nozzle 2 1-2 inch. Hub to be four feet
below surface pavement.

100 4-inch Cast-Iron Pipes, per ton.
800 6-inch Cast-Iron Pipes, per ton.
900 8-inch Cast-Iron Pipes, per ton.
— 10-inch Cast-Iron Pipes, per ton.
— 11-inch Cast-Iron Pipes, per ton.
— 12-inch Cast-Iron Pipes, per ton.
— 16-inch Cast-Iron Pipes, per ton.
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machine). 141 1-2-inch Tapping Cocks (Hadesty 144 3-4-inch Tapping Cocks (Hodesty ine). I-inch Roundway Stop Cocks for

lead pipe. 96 5-8-inch Roundway Stop Cocks for lead pipe.
60 1-2-inch Roundway Stop Cocks for 60 1-2-inch Roundway Stop Cocks for 24 3-4-inch Roundway Stop Cocks for

24 34-linen Roundway Stop Cocks for lead and iron pipe.

72 1-2-linch Roundway Stop Cocks for lead and iron pipe.

12 1-linch Corporation Cocks.

12 3-4-linch Corporation Cocks.

Brasswork to be of best quality (see sample at office) and will be let as a

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375 5-8 Water Meters and Connections.
100 3-4 Water Meters and

The City of Richmond, Virginia, Office City Water Works

The City of Richmond, Virginia,
Office City Water Works,
City Hall
March 18, 1903.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE REceived at this office until MONDAY,
April 6, 1903, at 5 P. M., for the following supplies:
Six (6) 24-inch Gate Valves.
Two (2) 25-inch Gate Valves.
Nine (3) 16-inch Gate Valves.
Nine (3) 16-inch Gate Valves.
Seven (7) 12-inch Gate Valves.
Two (2) 8-inch Gate Valves.
Two (2) 8-inch Gate Valves.
Flight (8) 6-inch Gate Valves.
Flight (8) 6-inch Gate Valves.
Forty (60) Valve Boxes.
561 24-inch Cast-Iron Pipes.
73 16-inch Cast-Iron Pipes.
74 2000 pounds Special Castings (one
30-inch by 24-inch Tee, one 30-inch
Sleeve and remainder of 21-, 20- and 16inch Specials, Crosses, Tees, Bends,
Sleeves, etc.)
32 2000 pounds Gasket.
Hauling Pipe and Specials, per ton.
Cutting and Refilling Pipe Tronch,
per cub. yard.
All Pipe, Specials and Valves to be
delivered f. o. b. at Richmond, Va., in
such quantities as may be determined
by the Superintendent of Water Works.
All other supplies to be delivered at
water-works shop or pipe yard. Specifications and further information can
be obtained at this office. The Committee on Water reserves the right to
increase or decrease the above named
quantities on the reserves the right to
increase or decrease the above named
the right to reject any or all bids. A
certified check for \$200 must accompany
each bid.
CHARLES E. BOLLING,
Superintendent.

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AUCTION SALES-FUTURE DAYS.

By The Valentine Auction Co.,

A DMINISTRATOR'S SALE, OF SODA A FOUNTAIN, NATIONAL CASH REGISTER, SHOW UASES, COUNTERS AND SHELVING, SYRUPS, CIGARE, TOBACCO, CIGARETTES, CONFECTIONISHIES, ELECTRIC FANS, MANBLE TOP TABLE MIRROR, CANDY JARS, UNEXPIRED LEASE, &C., AS A WHOLE, AT NO. 71 EAST BROAD STREET, NEXT TO BIJOU THEATRE, MONDAY, MARCH 23, AT 12 O'CLOCK M.

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We will sell for EDGAR ALLAN, JR.,
administrator of Abdullah Baker, decensed, at No. 714 East Broad Street,
next to Bljou Theatre, as a whole, the
entire stock and fixtures, viz.: One Fine
Italian Murble Soda Fountain, complete, with large French Plate Mirror,
12 Byrup Spigots, 2 Soda and 2 Lithia
Falucets, complete Assortment of Syrins,
One National Cash Register, almost new,
2 8-foot Oval Front, Metal Frame, ShowCases, 1 d-foot Ebony Frame Show-Case,
1 Double Deck Show-Case, 1 4-foot Nickel
Frame, Oval Front Show-Case, about
8,000 Fine and Meditum Cigars and Cheroots; 3,000 Cigarettes, large lot of Smoking and Chewing Tobaccos; Fresh Stock
of Candies, Nuts, Raisins, Figs, Dates,
Grapes, Cakes, Crackers, &c.; Candy
Jars; 2 Electric Celling Fans, Ice Box,
Hot Chocolate Urn, Marble Top Table,
Chairs and Stocis, Wall Case Counters,
Shelving, Portleres, Soda Fountain counter with copper water box; tobacco
Knife, tove and Pine, Window Shudes,
2 Larre Mirrors, Cigar Blectric Light,
Ice Crem Freezers, &c.
Also unexpired lease of said store.

EDGAR ALLIAN, JR.,
Administrator.

Administrative Auction Co.,

BANKRUPT SALE OF ONYX SODA FOUNTAIN AND APPARATUS, MARBLE COUNTERS SHOW-CASES, VICTOR TALKING MACHINE, NATIONAL CHECK MACHINE, NATIONAL CASH REGISTER, ICE CREAM PLANT, TABLES, CHAIRS, CIGARS, TOBACCOS, OAK WALL CASES, MIRRORS, ETC., AT AUCTION.

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By virtue of a decree entered in the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Virginia on March the 18th. 1973, in the matter of John C. Bowers, bankrupt, I will offer for sale, at public auction, on the premises, No. 427 East Brond Street, at 1029 A. M.

FRIDAY, MARCH 27, 1903, 1 Tuft's Full Onyx Soda Apparatus and Fountain, 30 Syrups, in three sections, with 5 Plate Mirrors; Marble Counters, with copper strainers; Holders. Tumblers, Shakers, Coffee and Chocolate Urns, National Check Machine, National Cash, Register, 3 large Plate-ginss Wall Mirrors, 4 Cigar and Candy Show-Cases, very handsome Oak Cigar, and Candy Wall Cases, with Plate Mirrors; Victor Talking Machine, 2 Window Mirrors, Complete Plant for the Manufacture of Ice Cream, 13 Copper-frame and Marbletop Ice Cream Tables, 48 Fine Copper and Vlenna-frame Chairs, general assortiment of Extracts, Floor Linoleum. Office Desk and Stool, Pictures, Palms, Screens, Candy Jars and Scales, Cigar, Counter, Paper Racks, High-grade Cigars, Smoking and chewing Tobacco, Fancy Candy and numerous other articles.

Arrangements can be made with parties controlling property for an extension of lesse.

TERMS—On the stock, cash; on the fix-

iense. On the stock cash: on the fix-tures, cash, except on a sum of \$1.50, tures, cash, except on a sum of \$1.50, length of \$1.50, with interest from June 11, 1902, payable of \$1.50, with interest, payable April 1908; \$500, with interest, payable November 11, 1903; \$500, with interest, payable June — 1904, able June — 1904, William (Charles), and HUGH A. M'CURDY, Receiver. Geo. W. Mayo, Auctioneer.

Wm. B. Pizzini Company Real Estate Auctioneers.

AUCTION SALE OF DESIRABLE BRICK DWELLING OF SEVEN ROOMS BATH, ETC., IN WEST END.

At the request of the owner we will offer for sale at public auction, on the remises, on THURSDAY, MARCH 26, 1903, at 5 P. M., the semi-detached brick

No. 318 North Lombardy Street. Between Grove and Floyd Avenues.
This house is in splendid order and will make either a most attractive investment or a splendid home. Bargain hunters will do well to attend.
TERMS—Liberal and announced at sale.
Mar. 20-td.

COMPROMISE STREET LOT.

Compromise Street Lot.

In execution of a trust deed, dated August 1, 1909, of record in Henrico County Court, D. B. 159 A. page 406, default being made in the payment of note thereby secured, and being required by beneficiary so to do. I will sell by auction, on FRIDAY, 27TH MARCH, 1903, at 5 o'clock P. M., upon the premises, the lot fronting 29/feet on Compromise Street by a depth of 1394 feet, being lot No. 2, as shown by plat recorded in D. B. 107, page 420, Henrico County Court.

TERMS—Cash.

A. J. CHEWNING, Trustee.

Mar. 20-td.

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By James H. Crenshaw, Real Estate Auctioneer, 1013 E. Main Street.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF A
DESIRABLE SUBURBAN RESIDENCE
ON BROOK TURNPIKE WITH
151/4 ACRES OF LAND.

By virtue of a certain deed of trust dated the 13th day of February, 1890, and recorded in the clerk's office of Henrico County Court in D. B. 129 "A." page 399, default having been made in the payment of a part of the debt secured thereby, and being required so to do by the beneficiary there premises, on Month of the Month of Mo By James H. Crenshaw, Augtioneer.

TRUSTEE'S AUCTION SALE
OF
100. ACRES OF LAND ABOUT 7 MILES
100. ACRES OF REPROVING ON
AND PROVING ON
JAMES RIVER.

AUCTION SALES-FUTURE DAYS

COMMISSIONER'S SALE

No. 1208 Beverly Street, JUST WEST OF RESERVOIR STREET. Granger

Granger
Vs.
Turpin &c.
Decree of Law and Equity Court, November 25, 1902:
Fursuant to the authority of above mentioned decree, the undersigned will offer for sale upon the premises, at 6 P. Mr. of the above mentioned decree, the undersigned will offer for sale upon the premises at 6 P. Mr. of the above mentioned real estate; lot 20x 120 feet. The premises can be inspected at any reasonable hour.
TERMS—One-third cash, residue at any reasonable hour.
TERMS—One-third cash, residue at and 12 months; purchaser, to give negotiable note, with interest added, and the title retained until its payment.

GEO. W. LEWIS,
Special Commissioner

The bond required of Special Commis-sioner in the above cause has been duly executed. P. P. WINSTON, Clerk.

By H. Seldon Taylor, Real Estate Agent and Auctioneer, No. 8 North Eleventh Street.

C OMMISSIONER'S SALE OF THAT
DWELLING ABOVE, NO. 112, WITH
DWELLING ABOVE, ON 'NINTH
BTREET, BETWEEN GRACE AND
FRANKLIN, NOW OCCUPIED BY W.
FOSTER AS A PHOTOGRAPH GALLERY, ALSO TWO WELL BUILT AND
BASEMENT BRICK DWELLING
HOUSES AND LOTS, NOS, 117 AND 119
ON EAST SIDE OF EIGHTH STREET,
BETWEEN GRACE AND FRANKLIN.

ON EAST SIDE OF EIGHTH STREET, BETWEEN GRACE AND FRANKLIN.

By virtue of a decree of the Chancery Court of the city of Richmond, entered March 13, 1903, in the suit of Mary I. Bozel & others vs. Irving T. Anderson & others, I will, as Special Commissioner thereby appointed, proceed to sell at public auction, on the premises, on FRIDAY, MARCH 27, 1903, the real estate above mentioned, in the following order, commencing at 4:30 P. M. with that nice store and dwelling No. 112 Ninth Street, between Grace and Franklin. The lot fronts 21½ feet, more of less, and runs back 120 feet, more of less, and runs back 120 feet, more of less, and runs back 120 feet, more of less, and franklin, containing 10 rooms, besides bath-room and other modern comforts. The lot fronts 25x67 feet, more or less.

3d. Dwelling No. 117 Eighth Street, between Grace and Franklin, containing 10 rooms, bath and other modern improvements. The lot fronts 25x67 feet, more or less. The convenient and desirable location of this property should attract the attention of investors, whether for occupancy or investment, there being at all times a good demand, by first-class tenants, for houses in this central locality. TERMIS—One-fourth cash, balance on a credit of 5, 12 and 18 months, for negotiable notes, with interest added from day of sale; or all cash at option of purchaser, subject to confirmation of the court, and the title to be retained until a conveyance is ordered by the court. The purchaser is to pay the taxes for the year 1963.

The bond required of the Special Commissioner by the above decree has been

The bond required of the Special Commissioner by the above decree has been duly given.

CHAS. O. SAVILLE, Clerk.

By H. Seldon Taylor, Real Estate Agent and Auctioneer, No. 8 North Eleventh Street.

C OURT SALE OF THREE VALUABLE BUILDING LOTS, WITH A
FRAME DWELLING HOUSE ON EACH
NOS. III, 301 AND 303, SITUATED ON
SOUTH SIDE OF WEST BROAD
STREET, JUST BEYOND THE MASONIC TEMPLE.

SOUTH SIDE OF WEST HROAD STREET, JUST BEYOND THE MASONIC TEMPLE.

By virtue of a decree of the Chancery Court of the city of Richmond, entered March 13, 1963, in the suit of Mary I. Bozel & others vs. Irving T. Anderson & others, I will, as Special Commissioner thereby appointed, proceed to sell in the above-mentioned real estate at public suction, upon the work of the real estate of the proceed to sell in the followers of the real estate of the public suction, upon the decision of the real estate of the process of the public suction, upon the sell estate of the public suction. The training the sell of the sell estate of the public suction of the sell estate of th

WM. B. M'ILWAINE.

The bond required of the Special Com-missioner by the above decree has been duly given. CHAS. O. SAVILLE, Clerk-

Ry J. B. Elam & Co., Real Estate Auctioneers.

E XECUTOR'S SALE BY. PUBLIC AUCTION

No. 305 North Madison Street.

By virtue of the will of Mrs. Kathering Senf. deceased, and for the purpose of division. I will sell by public auction, on the premises, on the property. No. 228 W. Broad Street, corner Madison, with lot 20x132 feet inches to an alley in common 17 feet inches wide.

This store is a most substantial one, being well built, having three stories above cellar, and besides the intege and attractive store there is a good dwelling with the moderate and a street, which we have been divided as a sound well made and the moderate will be store. The store is a good dwelling with the moderate as a good dwelling with the moderate of the store. The store there is a good welling with the moderate of the store, which we will easily if desired, be rented involving is now under an annual lease of two ing is now under an annual lease of two ing is now under an annual lease of two ing is now under an annual lease of two ing is now under an annual lease of two ing is now under an annual lease of two ing is now under an annual lease of two ing is now under an annual lease of two ing is now under an annual lease of two ing is now under an annual lease of two ing is now under an annual lease of two ing is now under an annual lease of two ing is now under an annual lease of two ing is now under an annual lease of the postoffice Sub-station A, in the rapidly developing section of Broad Street, and should command the attention of all parties seeking a permanent and desirable investment, as the property will each year materially increase in value.

TERMS-One-titled cash, balance at 1 and 2 years, with interest added and secured by deed of trust upon the property of the whole in cash, at the option of the purchaser. WALTER SENF, Executor, Mar. 18-03

Mar. 18-93
By Augustine Royall & Co.,
Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers,
Office: No. 19 Tenth Street
(Leader Building), Manchester, Va.

TRUSTEE'S AUCTION SALE. TRUSTEE'S AUCTION SALE.

By virtue of a deed of trust dated March 15, 1900, and duly recorded in the Hustings Court, certes's office, for the city of Mancheser: Va., in Deed Book 21, page 13, the henchicaries) at public so to do that very pice vacant lot, front-blook auction that very pice vacant lot, fron